

Chambers of District Judge Marsha Jean Pechman *continued*

Government: Deputy Prosecutor, Criminal Division, King County Prosecutor's Office (1976-1979)

Judicial: Superior Court Judge, King County Superior Court (1988-1999)

Legal Practice: Associate, Levinson, Friedman, Vhugen, Duggan, Bland & Horowitz (1981-1986); Partner, Levinson, Friedman, Vhugen, Duggan, Bland & Horowitz (1987-1988)

Current Memberships: Federal Judges Association; Seattle-King County Bar Association; Washington State Bar Association

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Ronald B. Leighton

District Judge

Date of Birth: May 30, 1951

Education: Whitworth 1973 BA; Hastings 1976 JD

Began Service: November 26, 2002

Appointed By: President George W. Bush

Legal Practice: Partner, Gordon, Thomas, Honeywell, Malanca, Peterson & Daheim L.L.P. (1976-2002)

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Ricardo S. Martinez
District Judge

Date of Birth: June 23, 1951

Education: U Washington 1975 BS, 1980 JD

Began Service: June 2004

Appointed By: President George W. Bush



Judicial: King County Superior Court (1990-1998); Federal Magistrate Judge (1998-2004)

Legal Practice: King County Prosecutor's Office (1980-1990)

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James L. Robart

District Judge

Date of Birth: September 2, 1947

Education: Whitman 1969 BA; Georgetown 1973 JD

Began Service: June 28, 2004

Appointed By: President George W. Bush

Affiliation: Trustee, Whitman College

Legal Practice: Managing Partner, Lane Powell Spears Lubersky LLP (1998-2004); Partner, Lane Powell Spears Lubersky LLP (1973-1997)

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Walter T. McGovern

Senior Judge

Date of Birth: May 24, 1922

Education: U Washington 1948 BA, 1950 LLB

Began Service: May 14, 1971

Appointed By: President Richard M. Nixon

Judicial: Judge, Seattle Municipal Court (1959-1965); Judge, Washington Superior Court (1965-1968); Judge, Washington Supreme Court (1968-1971)

Legal Practice: Kerr, McCord, Greenleaf & Moen (1950-1959)

Military Service: United States Naval Reserve (1943-1980)

Current Memberships: Seattle-King County Bar Association; Washington State Bar Association

Staff

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Carolyn R. Dimmick
Senior Judge

Date of Birth: 1929

Education: U Washington 1951 BA, 1953 JD

Began Service: April 4, 1985

Appointed By: President Ronald Reagan

Government: Assistant Attorney General, Office of the Attorney General, State of Washington (1953-1954); Deputy Prosecuting Attorney, County of King, Washington (1955-1959)

Judicial: Judge, Washington District Court, Northeast District (1965-1975); Judge, Washington Superior Court, King County (1976-1980); Justice, Washington Supreme Court (1981-1985)

Legal Practice: Private Practice (1959-1960)

Current Memberships: American Bar Association; American Judges Association; American Judicature Society; National Association of Women Judges; Superior Court Judges Association; Washington State Bar Association

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Robert J. Bryan
Senior Judge

Date of Birth: 1934

Education: U Washington 1956 BA, 1958 JD

Began Service: 1986

Appointed By: President Ronald Reagan

Judicial: Judge, Washington Superior Court (1967-1984)

Legal Practice: Bryan & Bryan (1959-1967); Riddell, Williams, Bullitt & Walkinshaw (1984-1986)

Military Service: United States Army Reserve

Current Memberships: American Bar Association; American Judicature Society; Federal Bar Association; Puget Sound Inn of Court

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Thomas S. Zilly
Senior Judge

Date of Birth: 1935

Education: Michigan 1956 BA; Cornell 1962 JD

Began Service: 1988

Appointed By: President Ronald Reagan

Judicial: Judge Pro Tem, Seattle Municipal Court (1972-1980)

Legal Practice: Lane, Powell, Moss & Miller (1962)

Military Service: United States Naval Reserve (1956-1962)

Chambers of Senior Judge Thomas S. Zilly *continued*

Current Memberships: American Bar Association; Federal Bar Association; Seattle-King County Bar Association; Washington State Bar Association

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Franklin D. Burgess

Senior Judge

Date of Birth: 1935

Education: Gonzaga 1961 BE, 1966 JD

Began Service: April 1, 1994

Appointed By: President William J. Clinton

Government: Assistant City Attorney, Office of the City Attorney, District of Columbia (1967-1969); Regional Counsel, Department of Housing & Urban Development (1980-1981)

Judicial: Judge Pro Tem, Municipal Court and Pierce County District Court (1971-1980); Magistrate Judge, United States District Court for the Western District of Washington (1981-1993)

Legal Practice: Tanner & Burgess (1971-1976); Tanner, McGavick, Felker, Fleming, Burgess & Lazares (1976-1979); McGavick, Burgess, Heller & Foister (1979-1980)

Military Service: United States Air Force (1954-1958)

Current Memberships: Loren Miller Bar Association; National Conference of United States Magistrate Judges; Pierce County Bar Association; Washington State Bar Association

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J. Kelley Arnold

Chief Magistrate Judge

Date of Birth: 1937

Education: Idaho 1961 JD

Began Service: October 28, 1994

Term Expires: October 28, 2010

Government: Deputy Prosecuting Attorney, County of Pierce, Washington (1963-1964)

Judicial: Judge, Washington Superior Court, Pierce County (1982-1994)

Legal Practice: Partner, McCormick, Hoffman, Rees, Arnold & Faubion (1965-1982)

Military Service: United States Army (1961-1963)

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